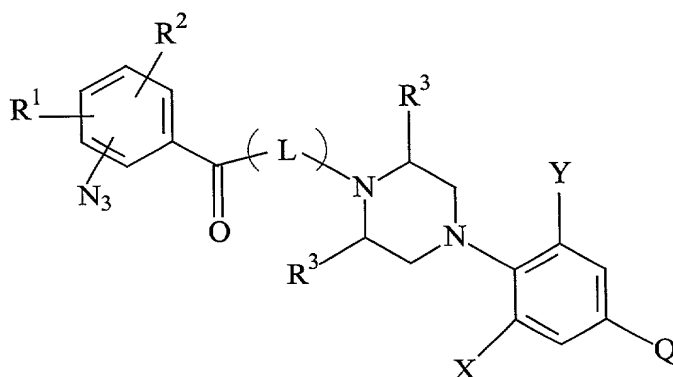


**What is claimed is:**

1. A compound comprising the formula



wherein:

X and Y are, independently, F, H or CH<sub>3</sub>;

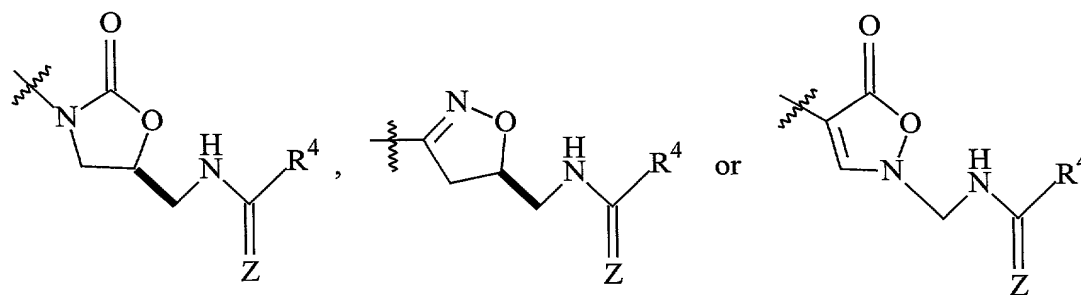
R<sup>1</sup> is H or I;

R<sup>2</sup> is H or OH;

R<sup>3</sup> is H or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub> alkyl;

L is a bond or -OCH<sub>2</sub>C(=O); and

Q is



wherein:

R<sup>4</sup> is H, CH<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> or cyclopropyl; and

Z is O or S;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

2. A compound of claim 1 wherein X is F, Y is H, R<sup>3</sup> is H, and R<sup>4</sup> is CH<sub>3</sub>.

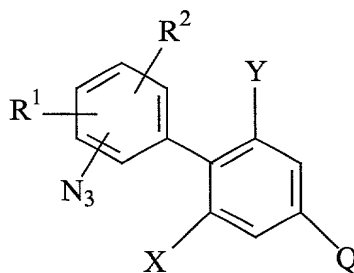
3. A compound of claim 1 wherein said compound is 2-[4-[4-[(5S)-5-  
[(Acetylamino)methyl]-2-oxo-3-oxazolidinyl]-2-fluorophenyl]-1-piperazinyl]-2-oxoethyl-4-  
azido-2-hydroxy-5-iodo-<sup>125</sup>I-benzoate.

4. A compound of claim 1 wherein said compound is N-[[[(5S)-3-[4-[4-(4-Azido-2-  
hydroxy-5-iodo-<sup>125</sup>I-benzoyl)-1-piperazinyl]-3-fluorophenyl]-2-oxo-5-  
oxazolidinyl]methyl]acetamide.

5. A compound of claim 1 wherein said compound is 2-[4-[4-[(5S)-5-  
[(Acetylamino)methyl]-2-oxo-3-oxazolidinyl]-2-fluorophenyl]-1-piperazinyl]-2-oxoethyl 4-  
azido-3-iodo-<sup>125</sup>I-benzoate.

6. A compound of claim 1 wherein said compound is N-[[[(5S)-3-[4-[4-(4-Azido-3-iodo-  
<sup>125</sup>I-benzoyl)-1-piperazinyl]-3-fluorophenyl]-2-oxo-5-oxazolidinyl]methyl]acetamide.

7. A compound comprising the formula



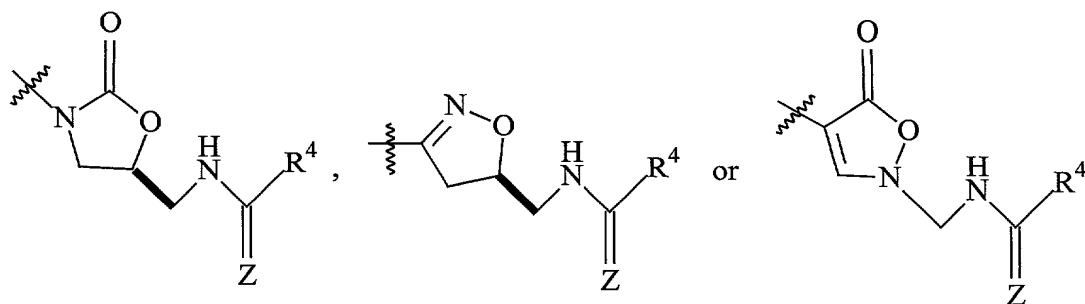
wherein:

X and Y are, independently, F, H or CH<sub>3</sub>;

R<sup>1</sup> is H or I;

R<sup>2</sup> is H or OH; and

Q is



wherein:

$R^4$  is H,  $CH_3$ ,  $CH_2CH_3$  or cyclopropyl; and

Z is O or S;

10 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

8. A compound of claim 7 wherein X is F, Y is H, and  $R^4$  is  $CH_3$ .

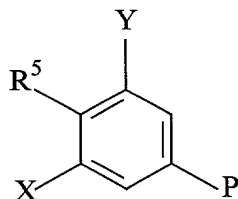
9. A compound of claim 7 wherein said compound is N-[(5S)-3-(4'-Azido-2-fluoro[1,1'-  
15 biphenyl]-4-yl)-2-oxo-5-oxazolidinyl]methyl]- $T_3$ -acetamide.

10. A compound of claim 7 wherein said compound is N-[(5S)-3-(4'-Azido-2-fluoro-3'-  
iodo[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2-oxo-5-oxazolidinyl]methyl]- $T_3$ -acetamide.

20 11. A compound of claim 7 wherein said compound is N-[(5S)-3-(4'-Azido-2-fluoro-3'-  
iodo[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2-oxo-5-oxazolidinyl]methyl]ethane- $^{35}S$ -thioamide.

12. A compound of claim 7 wherein said compound is N-[(5S)-3-(4'-Azido-2-fluoro-3'-  
iodo- $^{125}I$ -[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2-oxo-5-oxazolidinyl]methyl]acetamide.

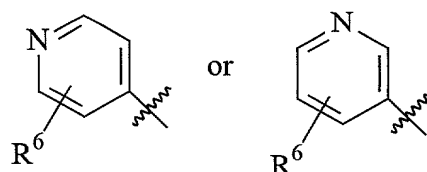
25 13. A compound comprising the formula



wherein:

X and Y are, independently, F, H or CH<sub>3</sub>;

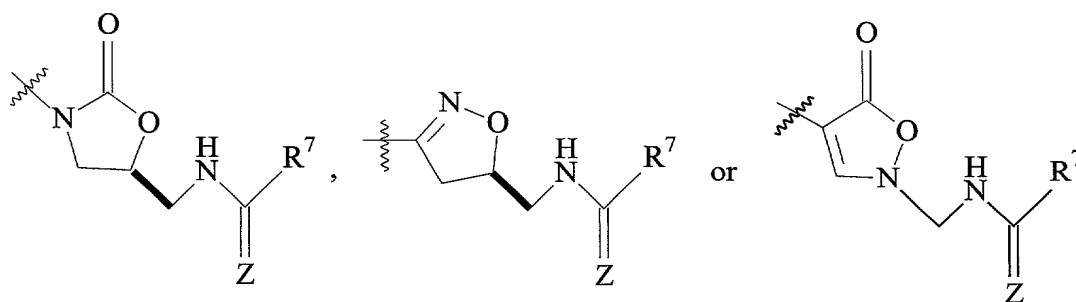
R<sup>5</sup> is



wherein:

10 R<sup>6</sup> is H, N<sub>3</sub>, halogen, NH<sub>2</sub>, OH, SH, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkylamino, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> dialkylamino, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkyl, nitrile, carboxamide, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkoxy, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkylthio, or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkoxycarbonyl; and

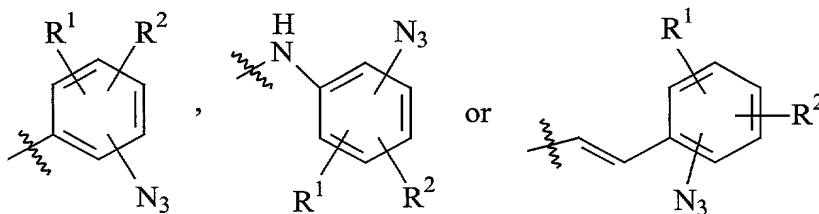
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wherein:

20 Z is O or S; and

R<sup>7</sup> is



wherein:

R<sup>1</sup> is H or I; and

R<sup>2</sup> is H or OH;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

14. A compound of claim 13 wherein X is F, Y is H, and R<sup>6</sup> is H.

15. A compound of claim 13 wherein said compound is (2E)-3-(4-azido-3-iodo-<sup>125</sup>I-phenyl)-N-[[[(5S)-3-[3-fluoro-4-(4-pyridinyl)phenyl]-2-oxo-5-oxazolidinyl]methyl]-2-propenamide.

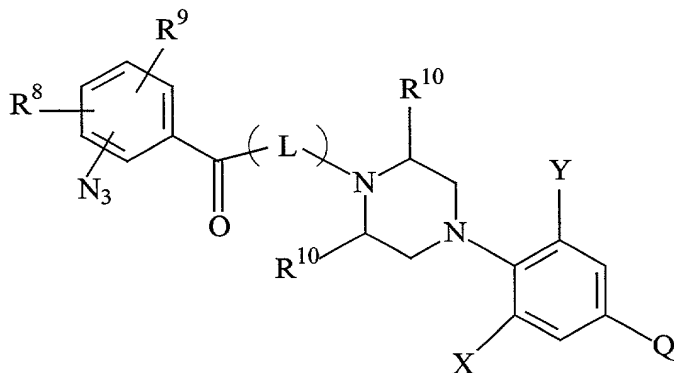
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16. A compound of claim 13 wherein said compound is 4-azido-N-[[[(5S)-3-[3-fluoro-4-(4-pyridinyl)phenyl]-2-oxo-5-oxazolidinyl]methyl]-2-hydroxy-5-iodo-<sup>125</sup>I-benzamide.

17. A compound of claim 13 wherein said compound is N-(4-azidophenyl)-N'-[[[(5S)-3-[3-fluoro-4-(4-pyridinyl)phenyl]-2-oxo-5-oxazolidinyl]methyl]-<sup>35</sup>S-thiourea.

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18. A method of using a compound comprising the formula



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20 wherein:

X and Y are, independently, F, H or CH<sub>3</sub>;

R<sup>8</sup> is H or I;

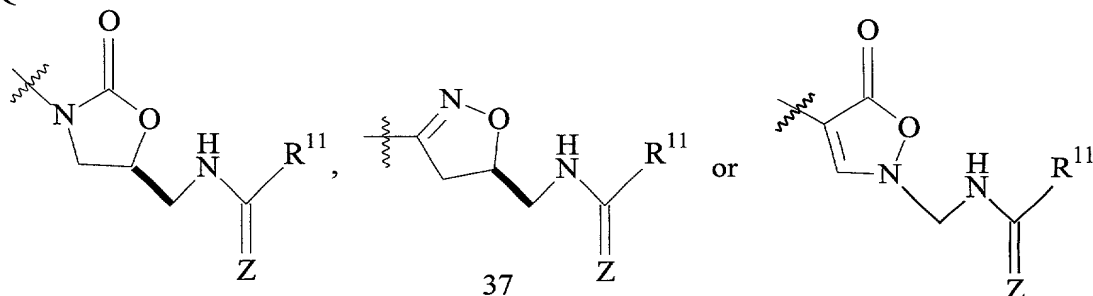
R<sup>9</sup> is H or OH;

R<sup>10</sup> is H or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub> alkyl;

L is a bond or -OCH<sub>2</sub>C(=O); and

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Q is



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wherein:

$R^{11}$  is H,  $CH_3$ ,  $CH_2CH_3$  or cyclopropyl; and

Z is O or S;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as a photoaffinity probe.

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19. The method of claim 18 comprising the steps:

contacting a cell or component thereof with said compound, wherein said compound is radiolabeled;

exposing said radiolabeled compound to light; and

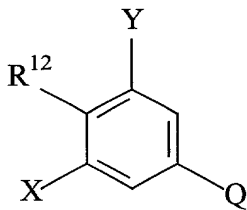
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detecting said radiolabel.

20. The method of claim 19 further comprising contacting said cell or components thereof with a competitor compound.

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21. A method of using a compound comprising the formula



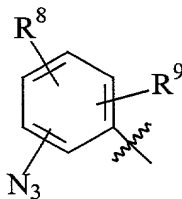
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wherein:

X and Y are, independently, F, H or  $CH_3$ ;

$R^{12}$  is  $N_3$  or

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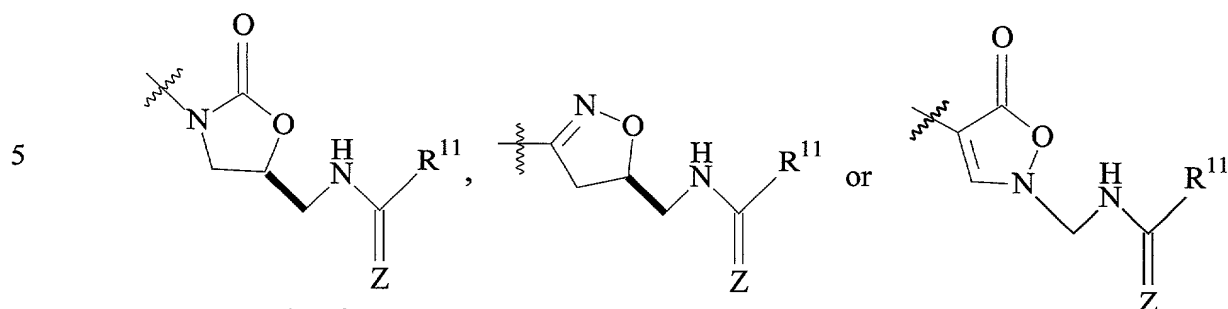
wherein:

$R^8$  is H or I; and

$R^9$  is H or OH; and

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Q is



wherein:

$R^{11}$  is H,  $CH_3$ ,  $CH_2CH_3$  or cyclopropyl; and

Z is O or S;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as a photoaffinity probe.

22. The method of claim 21 comprising the steps:

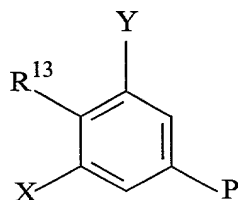
contacting a cell or component thereof with said compound, wherein said compound is  
15 radiolabeled;

exposing said radiolabeled compound to light; and

detecting said radiolabel.

23. The method of claim 22 further comprising contacting said cell or components thereof  
20 with a competitor compound.

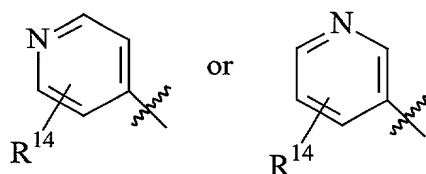
24. A method of using a compound comprising the formula



wherein:

X and Y are, independently, F, H or  $CH_3$ ;

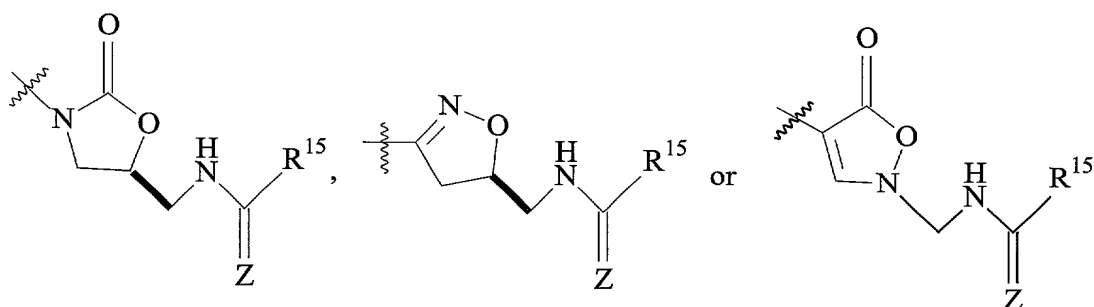
$R^{13}$  is



wherein:

$R^{14}$  is H,  $N_3$ , halogen,  $NH_2$ , OH, SH,  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkylamino,  $C_1$ - $C_4$  dialkylamino,  $C_1$ - $C_4$ alkyl, nitrile, carboxamide,  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkoxy,  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkylthio, or  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkoxycarbonyl; and

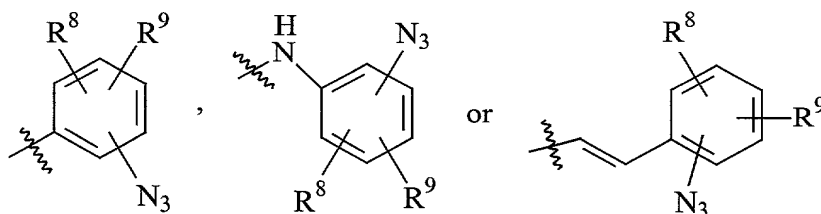
P is



wherein:

Z is O or S; and

$R^{15}$  is



wherein:

$R^8$  is H or I; and

$R^9$  is H or OH;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as a photoaffinity probe.

25. The method of claim 24 comprising the steps:

contacting a cell or component thereof with said compound, wherein said compound is

radiolabeled;



exposing said radiolabeled compound to light; and  
detecting said radiolabel.

26. The method of claim 25 further comprising contacting said cell or components thereof  
5 with a competitor compound.